

PENNSYLVANIA - DISTRICT 15**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
Farms			
Number	396	462	425
Acreage	41,552	91,629	78,317
Average size (acres)	90	216	198
Median size (acres)	36	70	65
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	499,612	749,672	642,019
Machinery/equip (dollars)	51,108	68,861	66,148
Cropland (acres)			
Total	34,423	80,660	69,477
Harvested	29,101	75,696	64,083
Irrigated	330	483	377
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	28,593	56,719	29,395
(dollars avg. per farm)	63,625	133,456	72,204
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	9,081	24,453	13,597
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	4,390	8,812	8,595
Beef cows	523	814	689
Milk cows	1,345	3,280	2,513
Hogs and pigs	1,559	9,209	6,772
Sheep and lambs	343	926	799
Layers 13 wks or/older	15,926	15,926	15,926
Broilers and chicken (sold)	3,127	3,127	3,127
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	9,505	37,998	33,308
Corn, silage or green chop	794	2,483	1,801
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	1,728	8,106	4,958
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	965	1,769	1,310
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	N	N	0
Tobacco	N	N	0
Soybeans	N	N	0
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes		133	666
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	0
Hay-alfalfa		9,690	11,132
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Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0
Orchards			
Number of farms	20	41	32
Acreage	186	723	282

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture